

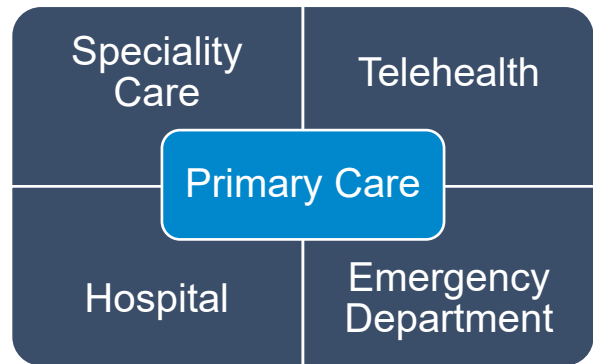
# Consortium to Disseminate and Understand Implementation of Opioid Use Disorder Treatment (CONDUIT)

## Expanding access to effective treatments for Opioid Use Disorder

Opioid and other drug overdose is the number-one cause of accidental death in the US. Veterans experience opioid overdose at nearly twice the rate of non-Veterans. CONDUIT is implementing effective treatments for opioid use disorder (OUD) and chronic pain across diverse settings in VA, including in primary and specialty care, hospitals, and emergency departments and via telehealth modalities. To date, CONDUIT has created **30 products** and trained more than **1,900 VA frontline staff** across **11 VISNs**.

### Implementing 6 effective practices across 62+ VA Sites

A cross-cutting center composed of diverse, experienced, multi-disciplinary experts in addiction medicine, addiction psychiatry, chronic pain, primary care, hospital medicine, implementation science and health economics, CONDUIT is working closely with multi-level stakeholders across VA to improve quality of care in this critical clinical arena for Veteran health and safety. Our implementation teams support frontline staff using Implementation Facilitation, which is a set of evidence-based strategies and tools to improve adoption of effective practices.



Implementation Sites	
VISN 1	
VISN 5	
VISN 7	
VISN 15	
VISN 16	
VISN 19	
VISN 20	
VISN 22	
VISN 23	

## Advancing CONDUIT's mission using three cores

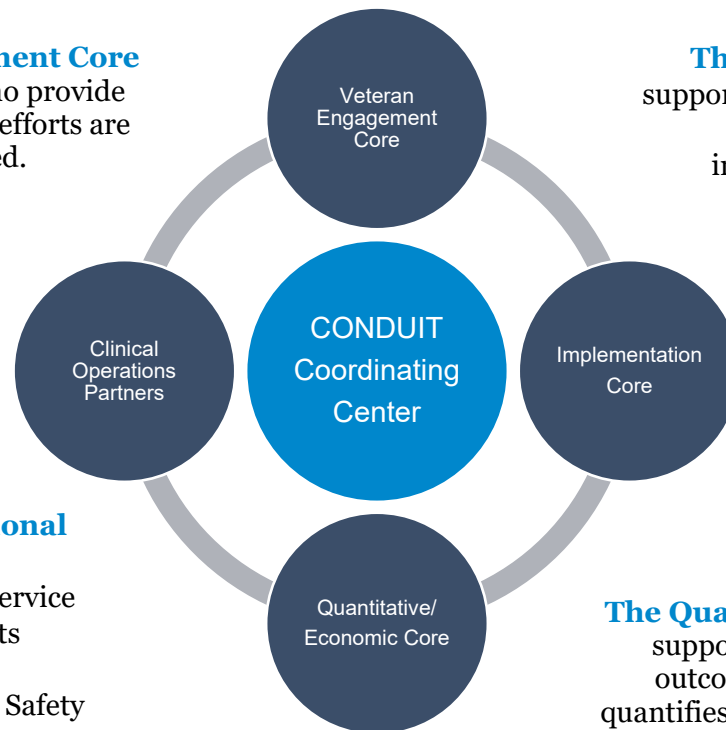
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### The Veteran Engagement Core

includes 11 Veterans who provide feedback to ensure that efforts are Veteran-centered.

### The Implementation Core

supports all teams in implementation activities and evaluates implementation outcomes.



### National and Regional Partners

Academic Detailing Service  
Pharmacy Benefits Management  
Center for Medication Safety  
Office of Pain Management  
Office of Mental Health and Suicide Prevention  
VISNs 1, 5, 7, 15, 16, 19, 20, 22, 23

### The Quantitative/Economic Core

supports the assessment of key outcomes across 60+ sites and quantifies the value of Implementation Facilitation efforts through measurement of implementation costs.

## Supporting 1,890 VA staff in delivering evidence-based care

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In partnership with **12 VA national and regional partners**, CONDUIT has developed 30 products (e.g., manuals, training programs) to support **1,900 VA providers and other frontline staff** in providing evidence-based care for opioid use disorder and pain, touching 11 VISNs and **4832 Veterans**.

If you would like to learn more or partner with us, please contact our Program Coordinator, Maria Zenoni, at [maria.zenoni@va.gov](mailto:maria.zenoni@va.gov).

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